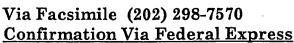
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New U.S. Patent Application: Gigabit Transmit Clocking for Reducing EMI and Supply Re: Bounce

Our Docket No.:

MP0304

Your Reference No.:

Requirements:

Prepare new patent application

Marvell Target Date: November 14, 2003

Dear Rick:

We would like you to prepare a patent application directed to the aboveidentified invention by no later than November 14, 2003. Please find enclosed documents describing the invention along with a videotape of an invention disclosure interview.

The inventorship information is as follows:

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Please review the enclosed materials and before proceeding please provide your estimate as to cost and schedule.

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Please also prepare a declaration and assignments as follows.

- X Inventor to Marvell Semiconductor Inc.
- X Marvell Semiconductor Inc. to Marvell International, Ltd.

The final deliverables will include an electronic version and a claim tree. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

With warmest regards.

Very truly fours

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Enclosures: Invention documents (Confirmation Copy)
Video Tape (Confirmation Copy)